



# *City of Ridgecrest* **Police Department**

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**RONALD N. STRAND, Chief of Police**

## **Press Release**

**DATE OF INCIDENT:** November 10, 2013

**TYPE OF INCIDENT:** PC 664/211 – Attempted Robbery, PC 460(a) – Residential Burglary, PC 496(a) – Possession of Stolen Property

**LOCATION:** Residence on N. Sahara Dr. in the City of Ridgecrest

**SUSPECT(S):** Ismael Octavio Quijano Jr. (18 years old)

### **RESUME OF INCIDENT**

On November 10, 2013, around 12:30 am, the Ridgecrest Police Department received a report of a home invasion robbery at a residence located in the 400 block of N. Sahara Dr. The victim reported a man wearing a motorcycle helmet, burst through the back door of the residence and pointed something at her. The victim was ordered to lie on the ground and be quiet. The victim then yelled to a family member inside the residence, who exited from a back room at which time the suspect fled. Officers responded to the location and were able to locate evidence at the scene and surrounding area.

Officer's conducted follow-up and later located Ismael Quijano Jr. He was confirmed through investigation to be involved in the attempted robbery as well as several other burglaries in the area. Quijano was in possession of stolen property connected to one of the burglaries. Quijano was arrested for the above listed charges and booked at the Kern County Jail in Ridgecrest. The recovered property was returned to the victim.

If you have any information regarding additional stolen property or you have been a victim of burglary, please contact the Ridgecrest Police Department at 499-5100.

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**PREPARED BY:** Sgt. R. Marrone

**Monday, November 11, 2013**